



BOARD REPORT

3 Year Contract for Audra Heaslip Professor of Humanities Full-time Faculty at Collin since 2012

Education

Institution	Degree	Major
University of Texas at Dallas	Master of Arts	Humanities
University of Dallas	Bachelor of Arts	English
Jefferson Community College	Associate of Arts	Liberal Arts

Prior Work Experience

Job Title	Organization Name	Date of Employment
Associate Faculty, English	Collin College	2006-2012
Associate Faculty, Humanities	Collin College	2008-2011
Adjunct Instructor, English	Richland College	2005-2008

Professional Development and Publications

- Presented panel discussion, "Getting the Most Out of Blackboard for Face-to-Face and Distance Learners," Trends in Teaching Composition Conference, Fall 2013
- Attended The Teaching Professor Conference, Washington, D.C., Summer 2012
- Attended The Community College Humanities Association Regional Conference, Austin, TX, Fall 2014
- Attended Trends in Teaching Composition Conference, Frisco, TX, Fall 2013
- Participated, Academic Coach Training workshop, Fall 2014
- Co-presented "Practical Tips for Writing Successful Letters of Recommendation," Faculty Development Day, Spring 2013
- Participated, "The Value of Blackboard for Face-to-Face Classes," "Test Taking Options in Blackboard," and "Your Faculty Website: We've Got a Template for That," eLC Faculty Learning Day, Fall 2014
- Attended presentations: "The Art of Managing the Dynamic Collegiate Classroom," "College Boot Camp," "Academic Freedom: What You Think You Know Could Hurt You," "English Curriculum Roundtable: Sharing Assignments," and "Teaching with Innovative Perspectives and Strategies," Faculty Development Day, Fall 2012
- Attended, "Excellence in Classical Rhetoric: The Six Most Astounding Discoveries About Literacy in the Ancient World in the Last 100 Years," Dr. Richard Enos, Distinguished Speaker Series, Spring 2013
- Attended, Study Grant presentation and Creativity Workshop: "Min(d)ing Creativity: How Whole-Brain Thinking Can Enrich and Enliven Education," Fall 2014
- Attended, "The War on Women," Professor Joan Jenkins, Unitarian Universalist Church of Plano, Summer 2012

College Service and College-Related Community Service

- Serve, Open Doors, Open Minds Committee, Summer 2012-present
- Serve, Strategies of Behavioral Intervention Committee, Spring 2014-present
- Emceed and developed, Open Doors, Open Minds event "Poverty in Collin County: Reality Check," Spring 2014
- Presented "MLA: Tackling the Dragon" Writing Center workshop, Summer 2012-present
- Co-presented "Beyond Wikipedia," Writing Center workshop, Summer-Fall 2012
- Created and presented African American History Month seminar "Going Colorblind: Confronting White Privilege, Political Correctness, and the 'New' Racism: An Interactive Workshop," Spring 2013
- Co-presented African American History Month panel discussion "'Where are We Now?' Civil Rights - A Historical View," Spring 2014
- Served, English Search Committees, Spring 2013 and Summer 2014
- Served, Music Search Committee, Spring 2013
- Served, Biology A&P Search Committee, Spring 2014
- Faculty co-sponsor, Sigma Kappa Delta English Honor Society Student Organization, Fall 2012
- Mentor, Collin Student Mentoring program, Fall 2012-Spring 2013
- Collaborated, Open Doors, Open Minds event "Imagine Me: Re-Imagining Body Image," Fall 2014
- Collaborated, Open Doors, Open Minds event "Road to Recovery," Fall 2013
- Collaborated, Open Doors, Open Minds event "(Un)Civil Discourse: Navigating the Waters of American Politics," Fall 2012
- Serve, African American History Month planning committee, Spring 2013-present
- Volunteer, Faculty Roundtables at New Student Orientation, Fall 2012-present
- Volunteer, "Need Help? Ask Me!" Welcome Week, Summer 2012-present